

## STATE OF WASHINGTON

## HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD

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## **RESOLUTION NO. 03-34**

WHEREAS, The Legislature and Governor directed the Higher Education Coordinating Board (HECB) to distribute \$150,000 in state funds in the 2003-2005 biennium for competitive child care grants; and

WHEREAS, The child care grants are designed to promote high-quality, accessible, and affordable child care for students attending public baccalaureate institutions; and

WHEREAS, The Higher Education Coordinating Board staff prepared and circulated a Request for Proposals to all of the public baccalaureate institutions, and invited proposals from each institution; and

WHEREAS, The HECB received proposals from four institutions, including Washington State University, Central Washington University, Eastern Washington University, and The Evergreen State College; and

WHEREAS, A review committee, composed of experts in the child care field and HECB staff, evaluated the grant proposals and recommend funding the following grants: Central Washington University - \$55,697, The Evergreen State College - \$52,512, Washington State University - \$33,603, and Eastern Washington University - \$8,238;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Higher Education Coordinating Board approves the recommendations of the child care review committee and directs the staff to execute inter-agency agreements with each institution and release the state funding.

Adopted:

October 29, 2003

Attest:

Bob Craves, Chair

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